

Application No. 09/779,799
Response and Amendment dated June 4, 2004
Reply to Office action of March 4, 2004
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Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the Specification as follows:

Please replace the paragraph at lines 12-29 on page 5, and lines 1-2 on page 6, with the following paragraph:

Hook strip 14 further comprises a forwardly facing hook 20 at or near its lower end and an upwardly extending strip portion 18 having disposed near its upper end a resilient engagement tab 16 having a rearwardly facing projection 30, a slide member 22 attached to and cooperating with engagement tab 16 to define an aperture 35 through which downwardly extending detent section 28 of hanger strip 12 is insertable to create an interfering fit between rearwardly facing projection 30 and detent members 32. Slide member 22 preferably further comprises an upwardly extending, resilient backing tab 24 spaced part from rearwardly facing projection 30, the backing tab biasing an aligned detent member 32 of hanger strip 12 into engagement with rearwardly facing projection 30 of hook strip 14 to maintain a predetermined vertical separation between door hook 26 and hook 20 during use. Rearwardly facing projection 30 and detent members 32 are preferably shaped so as to enable the projection 30, preferably an angular tooth having a width slightly less than the width of strip portion 18, to override detent members 32 whenever the hook strip slides upwardly relative to the hanger strip. Rearwardly projecting bosses ~~22, 23~~ 23a and 23b on the back of engagement tab 16 assist in keeping strip portion 18 and detent section 28 cooperatively aligned whenever hanger strip 12 and hook strip 14 are moved in slidable relation to each other.